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CHILDREN

Mattel Children's Foundation Domestic Grantmaking Program

Program: Mattel and the Mattel Children's Foundation have announced the third year of the company's Domestic Grantmaking Program. Through the program, the foundation provides grants for programs or general operating costs to organizations that demonstrate they directly serve children in need. Organizations must have a mission that focuses on the direct service of children ages zero to 12 years and must show creative or innovative methods to address locally defined needs directly impacting children. The foundation's priorities are:

- Learning – increasing access to education for underserved children and in particular, innovative strategies to promote and address literacy;
- Health – supporting the physical health and well-being of children, with particular emphasis on promoting healthy, active lifestyles.
- Girl Empowerment – promoting self-esteem in young girls, up to age 12.

Organizations may submit under a fiscal agent as long as the program has been in existence for at least two years and organizations must have an annual operating budget of less than \$1,000,000. The Mattel Children's Foundation will provide both program grants and grants to support core operating costs that allow organizations to sustain their programs.

Funds: Range of grants: \$5,000 to \$20,000

Deadline: June 15, 2007

Eligible: Not-for-profit organizations with 501(c)(3) tax-exempt status

Information: Mattel Children's Foundation, 333 Continental Boulevard, Mail Stop: M1-1418, El Segundo, CA 90245, telephone: (310) 252-3630, email: foundation@mattel.com, website: www.mattel.com/About_Us/Philanthropy/ci_mcf_philanthropy_grantmaking.asp

CRIME PREVENTION

Suffolk County District Attorney's Office Asset Forfeiture Reinvestment Program

Program: The Suffolk County District Attorney's Office provides funding under the Asset Forfeiture Reinvestment Program for youth drug and crime prevention, intervention, and treatment programs, as well as for other efforts that aim to prevent crime. The funds that will be disbursed come from cash and assets seized from drug dealers convicted in Suffolk County

Funds: Total funds available: approximately \$50,000

Deadline: June 21, 2007

Eligible: Tax-exempt, not-for-profit organizations

Information: Tanya Brussa-Pagan, Deputy Director of Community Relations, Suffolk County

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District Attorney's Office, One Bulfinch Place, Boston, MA 02114, telephone: (617) 619-4131, fax: (617) 619-4145, email: Tanya.Brussa@state.ma.us

EDUCATION

U.S. Department of Education

Office of Safe and Drug Free Schools

Safe Schools/Healthy Students Program

Program: The Safe Schools/Healthy Students program supports the implementation and enhancement of integrated, comprehensive community-wide plans that create safe and drug-free schools and promote healthy childhood development.

Funds: Total funds available: \$38,000,000
Range of grants: \$750,000 to \$2,250,000
Number of awards: 25

Deadline: June 19, 2007

Eligible: Local educational agencies and consortium of local educational agencies

Information: Karen Dorsey, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, room 3E336, Washington, DC 20202-6450, telephone: (202) 708-4674, e-mail: karen.dorsey@ed.gov, website: www.ed.gov/legislation/FedRegister/announcements/2007-2/051007d.html

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Staples Foundation for Learning

Education Grants

Program: The mission of Staples Foundation for Learning is to provide funding to programs that support or provide job skills and education for all people, with a special emphasis on disadvantaged youth. Interested organizations must align with the mission of the Staples Foundation for Learning and have a focus on job skills and education.

Funds: Range of grants: \$5,000 to \$25,000

Deadline: August 3, 2007

Eligible: Tax-exempt, not-for-profit organizations with 501(c)(3) status

Information: E-mail: foundationinfo@staples.com, Link: www.staplesfoundation.org/foundapplication.html

HEALTH

American Dental Association Foundation

Samuel Harris Fund for Children's Dental Health

Program: The American Dental Association Foundation is accepting applications for funding for programs that support children's dental health. Grants will be awarded to community-based programs designed to improve dental care for disadvantaged children.

Funds: Size of grants: up to \$5,000

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Deadline: July 17, 2007
Eligible: Non-profit organizations with 501(c)(3) status
Information: American Dental Association Foundation, Samuel Harris Fund for Children's Dental Health, 211 East Chicago Avenue, Chicago, IL 60611, telephone: (312) 440-2547, fax: (312) 440-3526, e-mail: adaf@ada.org, website: www.adafoundation.org/ada/prod/adaf/prog_access_harris.asp

HUNGER

Share Our Strength

Great American Bake Sale

Program: The Share Our Strength's Great American Bake Sale grants program helps ensure that low-income children receive nutritious food during critical times when they are out of school and particularly vulnerable to hunger. By increasing access to nutritious meals outside of school hours, the program aims to help end childhood hunger in communities across the country. The Great American Bake Sale grants program will support efforts to increase participation among low-income children in summer and afterschool meal programs through two types of grants: grants for program sponsors of afterschool and summer meal programs for children and grants for advocacy. Share Our Strength is specifically interested in increasing participation in meal programs that use reimbursement from the US Department of Agriculture through the Summer Food Service Program, National School Lunch Program, and Child and Adult Care Food Program.

Funds: Range of grants: \$5,000 to \$15,000

Deadline: July 13, 2007

Eligible: Nonprofit organizations that directly sponsor USDA-reimbursed afterschool or summer meal programs for children. Grants will specifically support projects designed to increase participation in the organization's USDA summer and afterschool meal programs.

Information: Share Our Strength, Great American Bake Sale, 1730 M Street, NW, Washington, DC 20036, telephone: (800) 761-4227, e-mail: grants@strength.org, website: http://gabs.strength.org/site/PageServer?pagename=GABS_grants

JUVENILE JUSTICE

United States Department of Justice

Office of Justice Programs

Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention

High-Risk Youth Offender Reentry and Family Strengthening Initiatives

Program: Under the High-Risk Youth Offender Reentry and Family Strengthening Initiatives, the Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention will fund:

- 1) high risk youth offender reentry strategies and programs designed to promote

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collaboration among Departments of Juvenile Corrections, faith-based and community-based organizations and providers committed to providing opportunities, resources and services for youth offenders who are returning to their families and communities, school systems, and workforce environments, following a period of confinement in a juvenile residential facility, and

- 2) family strengthening strategies and programs that focus on improving family economic success, family support systems, and building thriving and nurturing communities in which healthy families can pursue long-term goals. OJJDP will give priority to family strengthening programs that focus on strengthening the families of youth at risk of becoming involved in the juvenile justice system. OJJDP is particularly interested in programs or strategies that address family strengths and needs in an integrated, comprehensive, communitywide approach that focuses on change, not only at the individual level, but also at the family and community levels.

Applicants are only eligible to apply for one of the two components of this initiative.

Funds: Range of grants: \$250,000 to \$1,000,000

Deadline: June 8, 2007.

Eligible: public agencies, including state agencies, units of local government, state and local departments of juvenile corrections, and tribal governments and private organizations, including faith- and community-based nonprofit organizations

Information: Thomas Murphy, Grant Program Specialist, telephone: (202) 353-8734, email:

thomas.murphy@usdoj.gov, website:

<http://ojjdp.ncjrs.gov/grants/solicitations/FY2007/Reentry.pdf>

United States Department of Justice

Office of Justice Programs

Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention

Prevention and Intervention Programs

Program: The purpose of the Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention's FY 2007 Prevention and Intervention Programs is to foster innovations and advancements in juvenile justice and child protection-related practice at the community level. The goal of this program is to demonstrate the practical implications for policy and practice of programs that enhance juvenile justice, child protection, and delinquency prevention. The office is interested in programs that focus on reducing risk factors and enhancing protective factors to prevent youth from becoming victims or from entering the juvenile justice system. The Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention will give special consideration to intermediary organizations that provide mini grants to encourage community organizations, including faith-based organizations, to support juvenile delinquency prevention and intervention efforts.

Funds: Maximum grant size: \$1,000,000

Deadline: June 8, 2007

Eligible: Tax-exempt, not-for-profit organizations with 501 (c) 3 status

Information: Angela Parker, Grant Program Specialist, Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention, telephone: (202) 353-9252, email: angela.parker@usdoj.gov, or Lou Ann

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Holland, Grant Program Specialist, Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention, telephone: (202) 305-2742, email: lou.ann.holland@usdoj.gov, website: <http://ojjdp.ncjrs.gov/grants/solicitations/FY2007/intervention.pdf>

MENTORING

**United States Department of Justice
Office of Justice Programs
Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention
Support for Mentoring Initiatives**

Program: This Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention invites applicants to propose the implementation of initiatives that will assist in the development and maturity of community programs to provide mentoring services to populations that are underserved due to locations, shortage of mentors, special physical or mental challenges of the targeted population, or other such situations identified by the community in need of mentoring services.

Funds: Range of grants: \$400,000 to \$2,000,000

Deadline: June 8, 2007

Eligible: private organizations, including faith- and community based organizations

Information: Gwen Williams, Grant Program Specialist, Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention, telephone: (202) 616-1611, email: gwendolyn.williams@usdoj.gov, website: <http://ojjdp.ncjrs.gov/grants/solicitations/FY2007/mentoring.pdf>

YOUTH

**Black Ministerial Alliance and Citizens Bank
Summer Enrichment Series Grants**

Program: Through the Black Ministerial Alliance is managing a new initiative aimed at curbing youth violence this summer in Boston neighborhoods. The Summer Enrichment Series, funded with grant from the Citizens Bank Foundation, is a three-part program focused on employment, engagement, and education. The BM's request for proposals focuses on the following areas:

- *Jobs for Youth:* To help young men and women who are struggling to re-enter the mainstream and build a positive life for themselves and their families, at least 50 summer jobs will be created for court involved and at risk youth to earn money and learn valuable life skills. The minimum wage jobs will range from administrative to landscaping at local nonprofits and faith-based institutions throughout the city.
- *Youth Cafes:* To create a dialogue among people and encourage them to play an active role in decreasing violence in their neighborhoods, the grants will create ten Teen Cafés throughout Boston's most troubled neighborhoods. At the cafés, youth will be provided free food as well as food for thought - in the

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form of public forums for them to express their concerns and provide their ideas for solving the violence issue as a community. The 10 Teen Cafés will be located in Dorchester, Mattapan, and Roxbury.

Funds: Size of grants: approximately \$5,000
Deadline: May 30, 2007
Eligible: Tax-exempt, not-for-profit organizations with 501 (c) 3 status
Information: Deandra Robinson, Administrative Assistant., Boston Capacity Tank, Black Ministerial Alliance, 2326R Washington Street, Floors 3 and 4, Roxbury, MA 02119, telephone: (617) 445-2737, extension 26, e-mail: drobinson@bmaboston.org, website: <http://bmaboston.org/>

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Administration for Children and Families

Domestic Violence/Runaway and Homeless Youth Collaboration on the Prevention of Adolescent Dating Violence

Program: This funding opportunity provides organizations the opportunity to design and develop collaborative services to address the intersection of services for youth by the domestic violence and runaway and homeless youth communities.

Funds: Total funds available: \$600,000
Average grant size: \$75,000
Number of awards: eight

Deadline: June 8, 2007

Eligible: Not-for-profit organizations, including faith-based and community organizations

Information: William D. Riley, Director, Family Violence Division, Administration on Children, Youth, and Families, Administration for Children and Families, Portals Building, 1250 Maryland Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20024, telephone: (202) 401-5529, e-mail: wriley@acf.hhs.gov, website: www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/HHS-2007-ACF-ACYF-EV-0103.html

FOUNDATION PROFILE

Hadassah Foundation

Grants to Programs for Jewish Girls and Women

Program: The Hadassah Foundation provides grants to programs that work to improve the health, status, and well-being of Jewish girls and women in the U.S. The foundation is seeking applications for gender-sensitive social-change projects that promote leadership and self-esteem. The foundation will award planning grants and implementation grants to programs that work to promote healthy lifestyle choices, leadership skills, and self-confidence among adolescent girls and young women. Projects that provide awareness training to adults who have influence over the lives of females ages 12 to 26 also will be considered for funding.

Funds: Total funds available: approximately \$500,000 annually

Deadline: August 1 2007

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Eligible: Tax-exempt, not-for-profit organizations with 501 (c) 3 status
Information: The Hadassah Foundation, 50 West 58th Street, New York, NY 10019, telephone: (212) 451-6245, fax: (212) 303-8282, e-mail: hadassahfoundation@hadassah.org, website: www.hadassah.org/pageframe.asp?section=about&page=foundation/foundation.html&header=hadfoundation&size=50

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